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Unit 2: Geog. of GA/GA's Beginnings

I. Where in the World is Georgia?

1. *Southeast* Region of the United States.

2. *United States of America* Nation that Georgia is a part of

3. *North America* Continent that the state of Georgia is located in

4. <u>Northern</u> Two Hemispheres that Georgia is located in Western

II. Georgia's Regions and Features

5. *Piedmont* Region with the largest population (contains metro Atlanta)

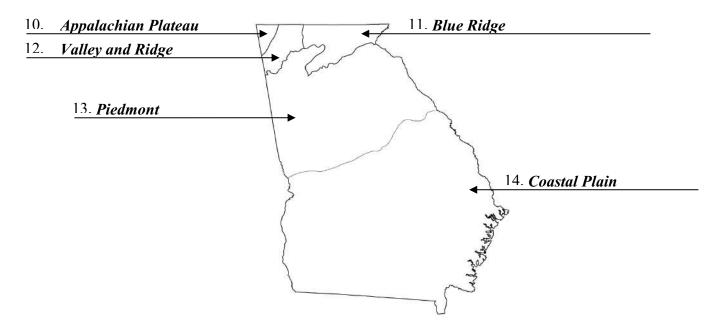
6. Appalachian Plateau Smallest Geographic region (land area)

7. <u>Coastal Plain</u> Largest Geographic region (land area)

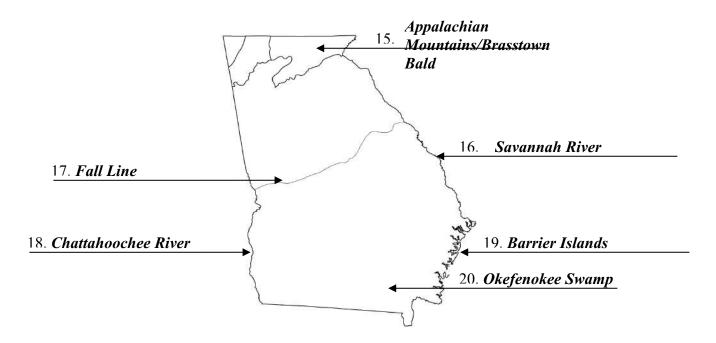
8. <u>Blue Ridge</u> Region that receives the most rainfall (80 inches per year)

9. *Valley and Ridge* Textile and carpet industries in GA are based in this region.

Label the 5 Regions of Georgia:



Label the 6 major Physical Features in Georgia:



III. More Regions and Features...

- 21. <u>Okefenokee Swamp</u> Largest freshwater wetland (swamp) in Georgia; contains more than 400 species of animals
- 22. <u>Savannah River</u> River that is the natural boundary between GA and S. Carolina
- 23. <u>Drinking Water</u> List 3 primary functions of the Savannah/Chattahoochee rivers

 <u>Hydroelectric Power</u>

 <u>Travel/Transportation</u>
- 24. <u>Barrier Islands</u> St. Simons and Tybee are examples of which physical feature
- 25. Brasstown Bald Tallest peak in Georgia (part of the Appalachian Mtns.)
- 26. <u>Savannah & Brunswick</u> The 2 deep-water ports in GA. <u>List both of their specialties</u>. A)Savannah- **containers**
 - B)Brunswick- heavy machinery/farm equipment
- 27. **Columbus & Bainbridge** The 2 inland ports in GA.

IV. Prehistoric Peoples

- 28. <u>Culture</u> Beliefs, traditions, types of art, and lifestyle of a group
- 29. Home/House/Shelter
- 30. Atlatl Device used by Paleo and Archaic Indians to throw spears

		farther distances
31.	Mississippian	Most advanced (recent) prehistoric group of Native Americans
32.	Woodland	Built mounds between 1000 BC and AD 1000 to use for
		burials and in religious ceremonies

VI. Transportation Continued...

- 33. **Hartsfield-Jackson International Atlanta Airport** The most busiest airport in the world
- 34. <u>5,000 miles</u> How many miles long is GA's railroad system
- 35. Waterways Provided food and transportation for early Native Americans in GA
- 36. <u>Weather</u> is the day to day conditions and changes in the atmosphere & <u>Climate</u> is the average weather of a region over a period of time